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PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME TO REPLY AUG 23 2002

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The applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of Patent and
Trademarks for a two month extension of time to reply to an Office
Action (paper #14) dated March 14, 2002. With the extension of
time, the time for reply is extended from June 14, 2002 to Aug.
14, 2002, thereby making the RCE request attached hereto timely in
nature. The \$200 small entity two month extension fee is enclosed
herewith together with the \$370 fee for the RCE. Please charge
any underpayments/overpayments to Deposit Account #07-1732.

In light of all of the above, and the previously submitted
Remarks and Declarations, it is submitted that the claims are in
order for allowance, and prompt allowance is earnestly requested.

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Should any issues remain outstanding, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney of record so that the case may proceed expeditiously to allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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